

## LIST OF RECOGNIZED ORGANIZATIONS

The following organizations have been granted recognition by the Secretary of Veterans Affairs for the purpose of preparation, presentation, and prosecution of claims under the laws administered by the Department of Veterans Affairs:

African American PTSD Association*	Lakewood, WA
American Ex-Prisoners of War, Inc.....	Arlington, TX
American GI Forum of the United States.....	Denver, CO
The American Legion.....	Indianapolis, IN
American Red Cross.....	Washington, DC
AMVETS.....	Lanham, MD
Army and Navy Union, U.S.A., Inc.....	Niles, OH
Blinded Veterans Association.....	Washington, DC
Catholic War Veterans of the U.S.A., Inc.....	Alexandria, VA
Disabled American Veterans.....	Cold Springs, KY
Fleet Reserve Association.....	Alexandria, VA
Gold Star Wives of America, Inc.....	Birmingham, AL
Italian American War Veterans of the United States, Inc.....	Youngstown, OH
Jewish War Veterans of the U.S.A.....	Washington, DC
Legion of Valor of the United States of America, Inc.....	Santa Barbara, CA
Marine Corps League.....	Fairfax, VA
Military Officers Association of America (MOAA).....	Alexandria, VA
Military Order of the Purple Heart of the U.S.A., Inc.....	Springfield, VA
National Amputation Foundation, Inc.....	Malverne, NY
National Association for Black Veterans, Inc.....	Milwaukee, WI
National Association of County Veterans Service Officers, Inc.....	Arlington, VA
National Veterans Legal Services Program.....	Washington, DC
National Veterans Organization of America (NVOA)*.....	Victoria, TX
Navy Mutual Aid Association.....	Arlington, VA
Non Commissioned Officers Association of the U.S.A.....	San Antonio, TX
Paralyzed Veterans of America.....	Washington, DC
Polish Legion of American Veterans, U.S.A.....	Washington, DC
Swords to Plowshares, Veterans Rights Organization.....	San Francisco, CA
The Retired Enlisted Association.....	Aurora, CO
United Spinal Association, Inc.*.....	Jackson Heights, NY
Veterans Assistance Foundation, Inc.*.....	Newburg, WI
Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States.....	Kansas City, MO
Veterans of the Vietnam War, Inc. & The Veterans Coalition*.....	Pittston, PA
Veterans of World War I of the U.S.A., Inc.....	Alexandria, VA
Vietnam Veterans of America.....	Silver Spring, MD
Wounded Warrior Project.....	Jacksonville, FL

\* Denotes an organization that is not congressionally chartered.

Source: 2012/2013 Directory of Veterans and Military Service Organizations, available at  
[http://www1.va.gov/vso/VSO-Directory\\_2012-2013.pdf](http://www1.va.gov/vso/VSO-Directory_2012-2013.pdf).